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Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, please substitute pages 1-6 of the specification with the attached pages marked "AMENDED SHEET". In the claims, please substitute Claims 1 and 2 as originally filed with Claims 1 and 2 as filed in the Article 34 amendment of September 21, 1998. The pages containing Claims 1 and 2 are marked "AMENDED SHEET" and are also attached hereto.

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The above changes in the specification and claims merely place the national phase application in the same condition as it was during Chapter II of the international phase, with the multiple dependencies being removed.

Respectfully submitted,

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